

Docket No.: 2523-073

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

PATENT

In re Application of

Rikuro OBARA

Serial No. 10/087757

Filed: 03/05/2002

Group Art Unit: 2834

Examiner: ELKASSABGI, HEBA

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For: MOTOR

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment and Request for Reconsideration in the above identified application.

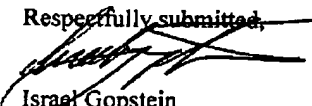
- ☐ No additional fee is required.
- ☐ Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.
- ☐ A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.
- ☒ Also attached: 1) Petition for Extension of Time 2) Form 2038

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

| | NO. OF CLAIMS | HIGHEST PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR | EXTRA CLAIMS | RATE | FEE |
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| Total Claims | 20 | 20 | 0 | x \$ 18 = | \$ 0.00 |
| Independent Claims | 5 | 5 | 0 | x \$ 84 = | \$ 0.00 |
| If multiple claims newly presented, add \$260.00 | | | | | \$0.00 |
| Fee for extension of time | | | | | \$2,010.00 |
| Fee for Notice of Appeal | | | | | \$0.00 |
| TOTAL FEE DUE | | | | | \$2,010.00 |

- ☒ Form 2038 authorizing payment in the amount of \$2,010.00 is attached
- ☐ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-1209, including any filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 for presentation of extra claims and any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.

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AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

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Sir:

The following amendment and remarks are presented in response to the
outstanding Official Action, dated May 30, 2003.

A Listing of Claims is presented on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks addressing the rejection begin at page 9 of this paper.

An **Appendix** including an exhibit of two drawing figures from prior art
reference 5,880,545, is attached following page 16 of this paper.